

Cardiplot

Manidipine hydrochloride Tablets

1. Product Name

Cardiplot 20

2. Name and strength of Active Ingredient

Cardiplot 20: Each tablet contains 20 mg manidipine hydrochloride

3. Product Description

Tablet for oral administration

Cardiplot 20: Yellow round tablets with scored between "B" and "L" on one side and scored onto "20" on other side.

4. Pharmacodynamics/Pharmacokinetics

Pharmcodynamics/Mechanism of Action

Manidipine is a lipophilic, third-generation, long-acting dihydropyridine calcium channel blocker. Manidipine inhibits L- and T-type calcium channels on smooth muscle cells resulting in peripheral vasodilation and reduced blood pressure (BP).

The onset of inhibition of calcium influx is gradual and is maintained for prolonged periods after washout in *in vitro* and *in vivo* studies, with the effects maintained for the 24 hours dose interval in hypertensive patients.

Manidipine is highly selective for the vasculature and has negligible cardiodepressant action. With recommended dosages of manidipine, there were no clinically relevant effects on heart rate or electrocardiographical parameters in clinical trials in hypertensive patients.

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Therapeutic dosages of manidipine in hypertensive patients did not significantly affect norepinephrine levels, suggesting a lack of sympathetic activation.

Manidipine had beneficial effects on renal function in hypertensive patients, including those with coexisting renal impairment and/or type 2 diabetes. Moreover, both efferent and afferent renal arterioles are dilated with manidipine, and in a 12-week study of hypertensive patients with chronic renal impairment, creatinine clearance was significantly increased, and creatinine blood levels significantly decreased, with manidipine 10 or 20 mg once daily but both parameters were unchanged with nifedipine 30 or 60 mg once daily.

Therapeutic dosages of manidipine had neutral effects on glucose and lipid metabolism in hypertensive patients with or without diabetes.

(4.1 - Ref.1 Manidipine a review of its use in the management of hypertension, Drugs 2004: 64(17): p.1924)

Pharmacokinetics

Manidipine is rapidly absorbed. Mean maximum plasma concentrations in the fasted and fed state

were 6.2 and 7.8 ng/ml and were attained in a median of 1-4 hours. Hence the drug should be taken just after a meal.

The drug undergoes a high degree of plasma protein binding (99%) and is widely distributed to the tissues. Accumulation does not occur after repeated administration.

Oral manidipine undergoes extensive first-pass hepatic metabolism, with 63% of the drug eliminated in the feces and 31 % in the urine. In healthy volunteers, the mean terminal elimination half-lives after a single oral dose of manidipine 5, 10, 20 mg ranged from 3.9 to 7.95 hours. Elimination is significantly delayed in patients with severe hepatic impairment.

(4.2 - Ref.1 Manidipine a review of its use in the management of hypertension, Drugs 2004: 64(17): p.1924-5)

5. Indications

- Mild-to-moderate essential hypertension.
- Hypertension with renal impairment
- Severe hypertension

(5.1 - **Ref.1 M**anidipine a review of its use in the management of hypertension, Drugs 2004: 64(17): p.1925; **Ref.2** Manidipine drugdex evaluation p.2-4)

Recommended Doses

The adult dose is 10 to 20 mg once daily in the morning after breakfast. The recommended starting dose is 10 mg daily. The dose may be increased to 20 mg daily if the antihypertensive effect is inadequate after 2 to 4 weeks. Avoid abrupt withdrawal of calcium channel blocker therapy if possible. Hypertensive crisis has been reported.

Dosage in renal failure

No dosage adjustment is required in patients with mild to moderate renal dysfunction, however caution is advised when increasing the dose from 10 to 20 mg daily.

Dosage in hepatic insufficiency

The data suggest that patients with hepatic insufficiency are at an increased risk of accumulation of manidipine, and that dose reductions should be considered in this population. The dose in patients with mild hepatic dysfunction should not exceed 10 mg daily.

Dosage in geriatric patients

The data suggest that geriatric patients are at an increased risk of accumulation of manidipine, and that dose reductions to 10 mg daily should be considered in this population.

Manidipine may cause hypotension which may result in cerebral infarction. Should start treatment with low dose.(6.1 - Ref.2 Manidipine drugdex® evaluation p.1)

7. Mode of Administration

Orally administered ,once a day , after breakfast.

(7.1 - Ref.2 Manidipine drugdex® evaluation p.1)

8. Contraindications

- Known hypersensitivity to manidipine
- Pregnant women or women suspected of being pregnant or plan to become pregnant...

Women who are breast-feeding

(8.1 - **Ref.3 M**adiplot package insert p.1; **Ref.4** National Drug Information/ข้อมูลยาสำหรับประชาชนและบุคลากรทางการแพทย์/มา นิดิปีน (ปรับปรุงครั้งล่าสุดเมื่อวันที่ 16 กุมภาพันธ์ 2560))

9. Warnings and Precautions

General cautions

- It has been reported that sudden withdrawal of a calcium antagonist causes aggravation of symptoms. Therefore, if discontinuation of manidipine tablet is necessary, the dosage should be gradually decreased under close observation. The patient should be cautioned against discontinuing the drug without the physician's instruction.
- Manidipine tablet may rarely cause an excessive drop of blood pressure. In such a case, appropriate measures, such as dosage reduction and cessation, should be taken.
- Since symptoms, such as dizziness or the like, may occur because of the drop in blood pressure, the patient should be admonished against working at a height or operating hazardous machinery, e.g., driving a car.

Careful administration

Caretiously administered to patients with severe hepatic impairment.

(9.1 - Ref.3 Madiplot package insert p.1)

10.Interactions with Other Medicaments

- Since manidipine tablet may intensify the action of other antihypertensive drugs, any combination with other drugs should be made with caution.
- Other calcium antagonists (nifedipine) reportedly increase the blood digoxin concentration.
- The action of other calcium antagonists (nifedipine, etc.) is reported to be intensified in combination with cimetidine.

(10.1 - Ref.3 Madiplot package insert p.1)

11. Pregnancy and Lactation

Pregnancy

It has been reported that manidipine tablet prolongs the gestation period and delivery time in animal experiments. Therefore, administration to pregnant women or women suspected of being pregnant should be avoided.

Lactation

Transfer of this drug to the mother's milk has been reported in an experimental animal.

Administration of manidipine tablet to nursing mothers is not recommended, if inevitable, the patient should be instructed to stop nursing.

(11.1 - Ref.3 Madiplot package insert p.1)

12. Undesirable Effects

Manidipine was generally well tolerated in adults and elderly (aged > 60 years) patients in clinical trials of up to 3 years' duration. The most common adverse events associated with manidipine 10 or 20 mg once daily in patients with mild-to-moderate essential hypertension were ankle edema (6%), headache (4%), palpitations (3%), flushing (2%) and dizziness (2%). The incidence of adverse events was dose related and appeared similar with manidipine 10 or 20 mg once daily and placebo(15%,23% and 15% respectively). (12.1 - Ref.1 Manidipine a review of its use in the management of hypertension, Drugs 2004: 64(17): p.1925)

Liver function: Since elevation of GOT, GTP, gamma-GTP, LDH and alkaline-P may infrequently occur, close observation is required. If any abnormality is found, appropriate measures, e.g., discontinuation of manidipine tablet, should be taken.

Kidneys: Since elevation of BUN and serum creatinine may infrequently occur, close observation is required. If any abnormality is found, appropriate measures, e.g., discontinuation of this drug, should be taken.

Blood: Leukopenia and bleeding disorder may infrequently occur, close observation is required. If any abnormality is found, appropriate measures, e.g., discontinuation of this drug, should be taken.

Hypersensitivity: Rash or pruritus may infrequently occur.

If such symptoms occur, manidipine tablet should be discontinued.

Cardiovascular: Facial hot flushes, feeling of warmth, conjunctival congestion, palpitation or tachycardia may infrequently occur. Chest pain may rarely occur.

Psychoneurologic: Dizziness, dizziness on standing up, headache, dull headache, sleepiness or numbness may infrequently occur.

Gastrointestinal: nausea, vomiting, anorexia, stomach discomfort, heartburn, enlarged feeling of abdomen, abdominal pain, diarrhea, constipation or oral dryness may infrequently occur.

Others: General malaise, weakness, edema, pollakiuria, and elevation of total serum cholesterol, uric acid or triglyceride may infrequently occur. (12.2 - Ref.3 Madiplot package insert p.1)

13. Overdose and Treatment

Overdose

Severe hypotension due to vasodilatation and tachycardia are the most likely manifestations of overdosage. (13.1 - Ref.3 Madiplot package insert p.1)

14. Storage Condition

Store below 30°C. Protect from light after unsealing.

15. Dosage Forms Available and Packaging

Tablets for oral use

Blister of 10 tablets

16. Name and address of Manufacturer

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17. Date of Revision of Package Insert

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